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ery fore-

wings.

though he rarely flies. He keeps

earwig has two sets of wings,

Aren't

his membranous hindwings folded

via their ear, to lay eggs inside. of someone sleeping ing into the brain about them burrowthe popular myth most commonly known is the order of insects dermaptera EARWIGS, from

flattened and usually dark browner black, with more variety Earwigs are elongate,

as as a cockroach ... and as illl am as harmless Lies, lies! received

> dermaptera is segmentedand The abdomen of and. I hese like cerci at the pair of forcepflexible with a in the tropics. Known for her are more curved can be used

or in desence. in males than during mating females, and

will raise her cerci the female earwig maternal qualities,

The common (or "English") mimicing an angry scorpion. offspring are threatened over her back if she or her Lyra Hill 2008 lyra lou@gmail.com

dermaptera:

orders of

Wings of an angel

four sub-

There are

ined bodies for moving quickly Apixenina comprise four species http://smallsciencezines.blogspot.com) giant rats in Africa, eating the in twogeners and live on bats in ungus and scerf on their skin. period, considered primitive and For ficulia is by far the largest egion. They are also wingless earwig and the English earwig. nd blind, with long slender fossil species from the jurassic group, and includes the striped archidermaptera comprise ten Species in one genus living on They are wingless and blind with stubby legs and stream-Hemimerina comprise ten the Malayan - Philippinian the Small Science Collective used diagnostically. through fur.